

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Kral et al. Confirmation No.: 3716
Application No.: 10/633,350 Group No.: 1744
Filed: August 1, 2003 Examiner: Krisanne Marie Jastrzab
For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DEACTIVATING ITEMS AND FOR MAINTAINING SUCH
ITEMS IN A DEACTIVATED STATE

**RESPONSE UNDER
37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP
1744**

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AMENDMENT OR RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION--TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.116) for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

| (Col.1) | (Col. 2) | (Col. 3) | OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDIT. FEE | |
| TOTAL | 6 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | x \$ 50.00 = \$ 0.00 |
| INDEP | 1 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | x \$ 200.00 = \$ 0 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | + \$ 0.00 | = \$ 0.00 | |
| | | | TOTAL | \$ 0.00 | |
| | | | ADDIT. FEE | | |

No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 50-0537.

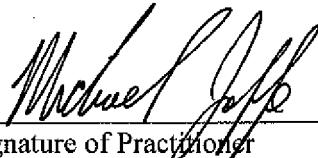
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